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Fish, Game Head Urges Changes In Washoe Plan

Refers To Abuses During Past As Example Of Possible Future

Through its director, Seth Gordon, the California Fish and Game Department has entered a strong protest against the present wording of the measure providing for the proposed gigantic Washoe Project in California and Nevada and urges that amendments be made to protect fish life before final action on the bill is taken.

In a letter to Senator William F. Knowland, Gordon points out that the department of fish and game "is very concerned over the possible effects of the Washoe Project on fish, wildlife and recreational resources of California."

No Benefits

"We feel very strongly that the suggested amendments should be added to Senator Malone's bill, S 497, in order to more adequately protect California's interests on the Truckee and Carson rivers," Gordon wrote. "Without these amendments the project will not benefit California and we will be forced to absorb a considerable loss with no chance of developing any additional recreational potentiel in this area in the future."

Gordon said these amendments have been discussed with federal, state and other agencies and all have been generally approved.

Cites Exampies

One example of the damage which might result, Gordon explained in suggested amendments to Senator James Murray, chairman of the committee on interior and insular affairs, is the proposed dredging of a stretch of water immediately below the dam at the Truckee River on Lake Tahoe.

"Here," he explained, "natural propagation plays an important part in the maintenance of the fish population. However, this section of the stream is already affected by extreme fluctuation of the water flows through the operation of the Lake Tahoe Dam. It is obvious that the operation of the Tahoe gates is being conducted with virtual disregard for the immeasurable recreational and fishery values of the stream."

Inadequate Flow

The director cites other examples of neglect to fish development such as Pyramid Lake where upstream diversions have occurred to such an extent that inadequate flows exist in the stretch below Derby Dam during critical period. "This," he said, "results in inhibiting the success of existing fish population and makes restoration of a trout fishery difficult."

In speaking of the east and west forks of the Carson River and some sections of the Truckee River, which are contributing greatly to the economy of eastern California and western Nevada, through fishermen, campers, tourists, gas stations, resorts, hotels, motels, restaurants and stores as well as a host of others, Gordon said:

Encroachments

"Past years have seen a relentless encroachment upon these fine streams with water diversions eliminating many once-productive sections. Had the necessary consideration been given to the fish-life at that time, a little planning and water control could have saved these sections and they would be highly productive today. At that time, however, the abundant fish populations were though to be inexhaustable and comparatively few people who utilized the resources either failed to realize their impending loss, or if realizing it, their advice went unheeded in the rush of western expansion and industrialization.

"Today conditions have changed drastically, and the public is displaying an intense interest in recreational fishing."

Asks Changes

In concluding his recommendations, Gordon asked that the bill be amended to provide specifically that one of its purposes would be the development of fish and wildlife resources.

Secondly, he suggested that there be added to the bill an additional section to read as follows:

"Facilities shall be provided for the development of the fish and wildlife resources of the project area, including facilities to permit increased minimum water releases from Lake Tahoe and restoration of the Pyramid Lake fishery. The cost of such facilities, including operation and maintenance, shall be non-reimbursable."

Increase Sum

He asked that the appropriation for the project be increased from $41,700,000 to $43,500,000 so that the additional funds could be used for conservation facilities as suggested.

Son is Born

Anthony Lee is the third son for Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kydd, born at the Tahoe Forest Hospital March 31. The lad's arrival weight was seven pounds and 12 ounces. Dr. L. D. Nelson was the attending physician.

Washoe Report To Be Subject At Local Session

Nevada, California Officials Will Discuss Plans Here Tonight

Robert Montgomery, regional manager for the state department of fish and game, and William Griswald, Nevada state fish and game official are expected to attend the meeting of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen to be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Capitol Hall for a general discussion of the proposed Washoe Project and its effect upon fish and game.

Griswald recently returned from a trip to Washington, D. C., where he discussed at length the pros and cons of the project with governmental officials including Representative Clair Engle. He obtained considerable valuable information which he will pass on to the sportsmen at tonight's meeting.

Also scheduled to attend are officials of the Federated Sportsmen, Charles Osburn, president of the Truckee club, announced.

Jack Reifschneider of Reno, who last year spent several months' vacation fishing and hunting in Canada, will exhibit films of interest which he took during the outing.

All sportsmen, whether members of the club or not, are invited to attend as the meeting promises to be of considerable interest and may have a bearing on future activities of the club in its drive to protect fish and game from damage through installation of water and power projects.

Osburn said the membership drive is continuing and urges anyone interested to contact him or any officer of the club for a membership card.

NEW NEONS ADD TO TRUCKEE'S GLITTER

Truckee's "Little White Way" was made brighter this week with the installation of two huge neon signs, one drawing attention to the St. Louis Cafe and the second an addition to the front of the new Olympic Coffee Shop.

The latter business being installed in the Masonic building where the former Truckee Shoe Store was located for many years will be ready for its official opening shortly after next week, George Carter, the owner, said.

Already the entire interior of the building has been reconstructed, the ceiling lowered, a new floor and walls put in and a complete decorating job completed. New equipment for the coffee shop and poolroom is arriving daily and when complete the new business should be attractive and modern.

Carter said he selected the name "Olympic" in keeping with the hopes of this region that the 1960 winter Olympic games will be staged in this vicinity.

MAJOR PROJECTS ON ROAD HERE PLANNED

The division of highways of the state department of public works has advertised for bids for major highway work in this area.

The estimated cost of the 13.9 miles proposed in the bid is $260,000 and includes surfacing sections of U. S. Highway 40 and State Route 28 in the vicinity of Truckee and Tahoe City.

A smaller project calling for grading, surfacing and fencing at the Tahoe City maintenance station, is also being advertised, but no estimate was announced.

Accident On Summit Results In Law Suit

FAIRFIELD—Bruce Hannon has filed suit in the superior court seeking $35,530 from five defendants, the result of an accident last December 4 on U. S. Highway 40 near Donner Summit.

Named in the suit are Leonard Poareo, truck driver; Peter Christman, truck owner, the Trio Fruit Company, truck leasee; Robert Edwin Copp, driver of a car which struck the Hannon vehicle after it and truck collided, and Neil O'Hara, owner of the car.

LaMarr Advanced To Chief In State Fish, Game Dept.

His many friends here will be pleased to learn that William LaMarr, one-time warden in the Truckee, Lake Tahoe area, for the department of fish and game, has been advanced to the position of chief of the department's wildlife protection branch.

Recently he has served as patrol supervisor or assistant chief in Region II.

LaMarr began his service as an assistant warden 18 years ago and one of his first assaignments after being named as a warden was this area and he served here with credit for a number of years before transferring to the Sacramento area and later being advanced to the rank of captain.

Prior to his service with the state, LaMarr served in the U. S. Army Cavalry from 1926 to 1929. He is a graduate of Denver, Colo., high school and completed three years' work with the LaSalle Extension Univeristy of Law. He lives at Carmichael with his wife, Hazel. R. LaMarr.

Sunshine Girls Name New Officers Here; Plan For Installation

Donner Council Pythian Sunshine Girls met Wednesday night in Odd Fellows hall for their regular meeting, with Janice Notely presiding. An obligation service preceeded the election of officers to be installed on May 4th.

New officers include junior past royal princess, Janice Notely; royal princess, Nancy Kaspian; charity, Janet Allen; friendship, Shirley Kohl; royal prelate, Dorothea Frey; royal guide, Judy Giovannoni; mystic one, Sherrie Curran; royal recorder, Donna Songer; royal exchequer, Ireda Harris; royal warder, Dorrette Rose; royal sentinel, Varien Frey; musician, Nona Rae Coffey; color bearer, Karen Smart; royal advisor, Pearl Heller.

Banner Girls: hope, Dianne Kaspian; faith, Virginia Barnes; charity, Violette Dohme; friendship, Mary Anne Miller; fidelity, Catherine Curran.

Trustees, Donna Barnes, Janice Stewart; Judy Stewart and Helen Kohl.

Installing officer, Nancy Marquis.

Representative to the grand council in Pasadena July 15 and 16, Janice Gray; alternate, Janice Notely accompanied by royal advisor Pearl Heller.

An Easter egg hunt was held following the meeting with Catherine Curran the winner.

TAHOE FIREMEN TO SPONSOR EGG HUNT

An Easter egg hunt will be held on Sunday at 1:30 p. m. on the Tahoe Commons, sponsored by the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department.

Pete Vanni, chairman of the annual event, said that the hunt will be conducted for local children up to the age of 10 years who will vie for prizes and the golden eggs.

Crystal Bay Driver Is Involved In Car Crash

Three people were injured Monday night when a limousine driven by Verl Walker Draney of Crystal Bay hit the rear of a car twice in attempting to pass it. Draney was cited by sheriff's deputies for erratic driving.

Injured painfully in the accident were Mrs. Maude M. Gibson of Pittsburg, Calif., and her two children, Tommy, 11, and Wanada, 15. Both vehicles crashed into a ditch beside the road on Highway 395 out of Reno.

MEETING CALLED

The Truckee Parents Nursery School group will hold a meeting Tuesday evening, April 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the elementary school. All those interested are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. G. Gini, who had been a patient at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for the past several weeks suffering from a stroke, has sufficiently recovered to be removed to her home where her condition is improved.

SUNBEAMS

By WALTER M. BARRETT

Congratulations to Bill LaMarr on his promotion to chief of the wildlife division of the state fish and game department. No one can dispute the fact that our former local warden has well earned his steady advancement through the department. We don't believe there is anyone in the department who has worked harder to protect fish and game than LaMarr. His efforts in behalf of the sportsmen have continued from the time he entered the service and we believe his latest advancement was well deserved and we can anticipate continued improvements in his department.

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We have little doubt that too many legislators are greatly influenced by pressure groups and often take action that is inconsistent with sound policies. We have in mind defeat of a recent bill which would have given the county treasurers the right to split up the delinquent tax list for publication in newspapers serving the areas in which the delinquencies occurred. The law requiring publication, we are sure, was designed to give fair notice to those affected, and if the original wording was such that it was construed to mean that it must be published in only one paper in a county, we can only surmise that the larger newspapers are more interested in obtaining the fee from the publication than they are in seeing that the people interested in the list are notified. We can also assume that the larger newspapers have a far more potent effect upon the vote-minded legislators than the small papers in which portions of the list should —if the intent of the law is to be considered—be published.

Judge Gets Ticket For Overparking In Valley

It should never happen to a judge—but it did.

Attending a State Farm Insurance agents' meeting at Marysville Monday, Judge Fosten Wilson left his car parked on the street and returned to discover that during his absence time had passed to the extent that an officer had left one of the city's summons tickets attached to the vehicle.

The judge called at the office of Judge E. T. Manwell, took his turn in line and after satisfying the judgment of the court returned home just a bit embarrassed.

Family Race To Feature Sugar Bowl Activities

SUGAR BOWL — The Family Race will be run at Sugar Bowl on Friday. Seven families are already entered and more entries are expected to vie for the title of Top Skiing Family of 1955.

The Sugar Bowl Junior championships will be run on Saturday; downhill in the morning, slalom in the afternoon. This race is sanctioned by the Far West Ski Association and is open to competitors who were 16 or under as of January 1, 1955.

The Walt Disney Perpetual Junior trophy race is scheduled for Sunday. This race is open to children 10 and under and is divided into two divisions. Division 1 for 8, 9 and 10; division 2 for ages 7 and under. Signed cartoons of the famous Disney characters are the prizes for the lucky winners.

The Austrian race squad, led by Anderl Molterer will arrive next week to compete in both the North American championships and the Silver Belt. Other team members are Othmar Schneider, Martin Strolz and Thea Hochleitner. A top field of contestants is expected for both races.

Change Address—

The Erven Johnsons address has been changed from Truckee to Richmond.

New Donner Story Will Be Published For Homer Croy

Hastings House, New York publishers, have announced the new Homer Croy book, "Wheels West," a story of the Donner Party will be placed on sale in April.

The author spent several days in this area, going over the ground where the ill-fated Donners spent that historically tragic winter of 1846. He studied various accounts and later went on to Sacramento and San Francisco to review facts which form the basis of the story.

A condensation of the book will be in the July issues of True Magazine.

In describing "Wheels West," the publishers have the following to say:

"Of all the tragedies that overtook the pioneers in the great westward migration of the 1840's, the grimmest, the most soul-searing was that of the ill-fated Donner Party. Trapped by early snows in the 7000-foot pass that today bears their name, these unfortunates were marooned for months despite persistent but vain efforts to reach them. In 'Wheels West,' Homer Croy, author of many books of western Americana, including 'Jesse James Was My Neighbor' and 'He Hanged Them High' (a portrait of the frontier justice, Judge Parker), tells the documented story of these heroic emigrants in all its real and dramatic detail.

"This is the exciting, colorful narrative of the Donner wagon train—the long trek across the Indian-infested plains, the hard climb over the Rockies across which the wagons literally had to be pulled when the teams gave out, the horrors of starvation in Donner Pass. The heroism of the women and children equalling that of their menfolk, as well as the dark deeds of violence and degradation of which a few members of the party were guilty, all come vividly to life in these pages. When thaws finally permitted their rescue, only a handful of the more than fourscore in the party survived to reach Fort Sutter in California.

Familiar with the Donner story since early childhood, as told to him by his pioneer parents, Homer Croy has uncovered new and detailed data only lately made available, including what happened to the surviving members of the party after they reached California. And he himself traveled the actual Donner trail, examining traces of the expedition mile by mile. Out of all this material Homer Croy has woven an epic narrative—realistic, human and sympathetic in understanding for the courage, the unconquerable will to survive of these pioneers. He makes his tale and the people in it as real as if it all happened only yesterday.

"'Wheels West' is a 'must' book for all interested in Americana and the pioneer west."

SCOUT CAMPOREE FOR LAKE TAHOE

The Scoutmaster and leaders Roundtable of the Tahoe area Council, Boy Scouts of America was held in Colfax Monday, April 4, and plans for the annual camporee of the council were made. The camporee will be held in the Lake Forest District at Lake Tahoe, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 20, 21, and 22.

Some 800 Scouts and leaders are expected to take part in the camping demonstration of the Scout troops of the council.

John Street of Truckee and W E. Mandeville of Kings Beach are serving as co-chairmen of the event.

Back In Hospital

C. B. White, well known Truckee resident, returned to the Washoe Medical Center at Reno Sunday and Tuesday underwent a second operation within the past six weeks. His condition is described as good and friends are hopeful that he will soon return home.

No Cantata

TAHOE CITY—Announcement was made today that the cantata usually presented at the community Sunday school services on Easter morning will not be held this year. Only the regular Sunday school classes will be conducted, Mrs. Beccy Shontz announced.

Traffic Increase Noted In Report For Last Month

Increasing Number Of Cars Use Highway 40 In February

A slight uptrend in the number of vehicles entering California by way of Truckee over Highway 40 during February as compared with January was noted in the monthly report of the department of agriculture.

The record shows that 18,465 cars, 2696 trucks and 466 buses were checked at the local quarantine station as compared to 16,931 cars, 3047 truck and 593 buses during January.

The figures mark a definite improvement over February last year when only 9996 cars were checked here. This was due, in part, to the road closure in Nevada for two weeks, however.

Only 3219 cars, 240 trucks and one bus were checked at the Meyers station on Highway 50 during February this year, compared to 8456 cars during the same month last year. This drop was also influenced by the fact that cars could not go over Highway 40 because of the closure and so used 50.

20-30 CLUB READY FOR ANNUAL EGG HUNT ON SUNDAY

The annual Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Truckee 20-30 Club will be held Sunday afternoon and all the children of the community are invited to take part.

The hunt will start at 2 p.m. at a point to be designated after the children meet at 1:30 at the Truckee Elementary School. The participants will be transported to the locale of the fun by members of the 20-30.

The egg-seekers will be divided into two groups with the younger up to 5 or 6 years of age and the second group including those up to 12. Prizes will be awarded in each group.

Russ York and Chet Burns are heading the committee in charge of the event.

TAHOE ROTARIANS OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

TAHOE CITY—Forty members and guests of the Rotary Club of Tahoe City last night gathered at Tahoe Inn to observe the 50th anniversary of the founding of the organization and to see the film "Fifty Years of Rotary."

President William Connors presided. Visiting Rotarians included Harry Bennett of Manhattan Beach, G. W. DeLappe of Modesto, Steve Stowe of Petaluma, Paul Mullis of Brockway, E. W. Shaw and C. L. McBride of the South Tahoe Club. Lester Spitzen of Modesto attended with his brother, Martin.

Twenty-two members plan to attend the convention in Reno, April 25, 26 and 27.

Attention Called To Important PTA Meet

Attention is again called to the important meeting of the High School PTA to be held Thursday evening, April 14, when a panel discussion will be held on the subject of "Where Should You Send Your Child for Higher Education?"

Harold Weaver of Sierra College at Auburn and Dean Holstine of University of Nevada will be present to lead in the discussions.

All junior and senior students at the high school will be requested to attend and others may also be present. Refreshments will be served following the session at the high school.

SCHEDULE MEET

TAHOE CITY — The Lake Tahoe Sierra Chamber of Commerce directors will hold a meeting April 15 at 7 p. m. in the Wagon Wheel at the south end of the lake, Mrs. Myrtle Carnell, secretary announced. All members are urged to be present.

Vernon Stoll, district attorney, was here Tuesday to handle the prosecution in a traffic case.

Soda Springs Pair Held On Charges Of Embezzlement

Couple Accused Of Taking Over $77,000 from Bank In East

Ruth Roberts McElvain, 38, a soft-spoken blond, accused of embezzling $77,270.79 from a Greensboro, N. C. bank and her husband, Clyde, 38, named by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as an accomplice, were ordered held in the Sacramento county jail in lieu of $100,000 bail each.

The pair arrested by FBI agents late Friday at Soda Springs, where they had been living quietly as William and Patricia Ryan, appeared in federal court Monday for arraignment before United States Commissioner Adellia C. McCabe.

Neither would talk to reporters and except for curt answers required in the court proceedings, maintained a stony-like silence.

Their arrest caused consternation among their friends and neighbore at Soda Springs where they were well liked and friendly.

Brant M. Chaplin, proprietor of the Soda Springs Hotel where the couple stayed until they found a house, said that "their arrest was a genuine shock to Soda Springs." He added:

"They were attractive, quick to form friendships, and active socially in the community. They had no ostentatious display of wealth. They explained they had income from cattle holdings. She said her folks had a cattle ranch near Meeker, Colo., and he said his father was a Texas cattleman."

They arrived in Soda Springs last November 17, staying at the hotel about three weeks until they bought a cabin-type home for $8500 through a Sacramenot real estate firm.

FBI agent Ray Abbattichio, Jr., was quoted as saying they offered no resistance, although three rifles and three pistols were found in their home.

The arrest of the pair climaxed a two-day vigil in snow and sub freezing temperatures outside a Sode Springs house by FBI agents. Reports from the area were that the agents, who had been tipped off that McElvain was armed and that the cabin contained several firearms, waited for him to make a daily trip to the Soda Springs Hotel.

He failed to appear as scheduled on Thursday so the agents remained in the vicinity of the house until he appeared late Friday.

Abbattichio said McElvain told the agents his wife took about half the money over a period of a year and the rest last June 5, the day they left Greensboro. She had been employed intermittently by the bank since 1945. She was accused of misappropriating the money and McElvain with knowingly receiving portions of the stolen funds.

The FBI said the McElvains spent $40,000 in Greensboro on gambling and horse racing, and the rest in Western States.

The McElvains were indicted by a federal grand jury in Durham, N. C., last September 27, after shortages were discovered at the bank.

FOUR TRUCKEE MEN ON COUNTY BOARD

The Nevada County Board of Supervisiors at their regular meeting Friday morning approved the addition of four men to the Nevada County Area Industrial Development committee, to supplement the present ten-man committee and give greater representation throughout the entire county.

The men named and approved are: Robert Saunders, Kenneth Hedlund, Earl Stice and Francis W. Robichaud, all of Truckee.

Swanee Still Shaken From Auto Accident

Mrs. Eleanor Swanson (Swanee) former resident at Tahoe City and for many years Sierra Sun correspondent there, was a recent Truckee visitor. Swanee is still recuperating from injuries and shock suffered during an automobile accident near Floriston on the night of February 13th.

At that time, she was driving to Truckee with her daughter, Marie Stenis, to see another daughter in the hospital here. As they attempted to pass a hay truck at Floriston a huge rock loomed up and the car swideswiped the truck hurling it into the guard rail, then back into the truck. The car was demolished.

MEET CANCELLED

The meeting of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department scheduled for next Tuesday night has been cancelled. This was announced today by Fire Chief N. F. Dolley who said announcement of the next meeting would be made in advance.

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Meets Wednesday at Truckee Elem. School at 7:30 P. M.
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Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, at I.O.O.F. Hall, Truckee.
STEVE COZZI, Noble Grand

TRUCKEE LIONS CLUB
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Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall
RAY GUYMER, President
JOHN RAU, Secretary

AFFAIRS OF STATE
by Henry C. MacArthur

SACRAMENTO— (CNS) It seems somewhat ridiculous that the legislature of the state of California in session after session, turns down bills which would require reading of the Bible in the public schools.

Only recently, the senate committee on education killed a measure by Senators Nelson P. Dilworth of Riverside County, and Earl Desmond of Sacramento county, which directed the state board of education to publish a syllabus of materials that would promote and encourage moral and spiritual values, which would be made available to all public schools.

The bill was wholly permissive in character, where in past sessions, such measures were mandatory. It said:

"To aid in developing those higher moral standards necessary for good citizenship, materials that will promote and encourage moral and spiritual values, including selections from the Bible, may be read in the public schools."

Ostensibly, the primary purpose of the public schools is to provide an education for the future citizens of California. Whether the schools are doing this or not is questioned in many quarters, but the fact still remains that without knowledge of the Bible, an individual hardly can be called an educated person.

Quite aside from the religious controversies that exist, not only in the state but in the nation, and the multitudinous sects that practice religion under the constitutional guarantee that the people may worship as they choose, the Bible remains as the basis of almost a hundred percent of all religions practiced in this country.

The different versions have little to do with the problem, for the simple reason that the meaning and principles expounded in all of the versions of the Bible fundamentally are the same.

Returning then, to the necessity of knowledge of the Bible as a requisite for education, it would appear that the schools are missing an essential factor in the information given to the young of the state when they neglect the courses pertaining to the book that is more widely read, and of which more copies have been sold than any other publication ever issued.

The schools have not been dilatory in taing ove ralmost every other function that formerly was attended to in the home. But in the case og disseminating knowledge concerning the Bible, they have evaded the instruction necessary to complete education, presumably because of the controversy between sects, versions and apparent reluctance to recognize the basic principles upon which not only the government but also the day-to-day living in these United States, is founded.

The ridiculousness of the situation is heightened when it is realized that if a proposal were made to remove Shakespeare from the schools, there probably would be as much furor over taking that publication out of the curriculum as there is over putting the Bible in.

Dogmatism dies hard, and apparently still has a lot of life left in the California legislature, which is initially responsible for education in California.

But at least, the matter is an issue before the legislature, and apparently will come up again two years hence, as it has done so many times previously.

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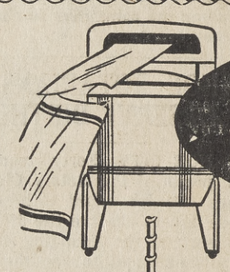

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NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DEEDED TO THE STATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

Date March 31st, 1955

Whereas, I was on the 17th day of March, 1955, directed by the Board of Supervisors of Nevada County, State of California, and there was received by me and filed in my office an authorization of the State Controller (dated March 22nd, 1955) to sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States, certain tax deeded property, public notice is hereby given that unless the said property is redeemed or an installment plan of redemption is initiated, as provided by law, I will on the 25th day of April, 1955, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. in the Tax Collector's Office in the Court House of the County of Nevada, in the City of Nevada, sell as directed the said property for a sum not less than the minimum price or prices set forth in this notice.

The parcel or parcels of property that are the subject of this notice are situated in the County of Nevada, State of California, and are described as follows:

(Description)

In Truckee Lot commencing at the NW corner of land known as the Slaughter House property of the Tahoe Market Inc. Sec. 15, Twp. 17, N. R. 16 E Mt. D. B. and M. thence S 14° 55½' W to the NW corner of the proposed Truckee Ice Palace 1398 ft. thence due S 200 ft. thence due W 200 ft. thence due E 200 ft. to the point of beginning known as the Truckee "Ice Palace Property" with Imps. In Truckee Lot commencing at the SE corner of the land known as the Ice Palace property in Sec. 15, Twp. 17 N. R. 16 E. Mt. D. B. and M. thence E 35 ft. thence N 103 ft. thence E 97 ft. thence N 200 ft. thence W 132 feet. thence S 300 ft. to place of beginning. In Truckee—Lot commencing at NW corner of Tobaggan Slide property thence E 80 ft. thence N 138 ft. thence W 80 ft. S 138 ft. to beginning and being in Sec. 15 Twp. 17 N. R. 16 E. M. D. B. and M. Tract of land in Truckee as described in Bk. 139 Page 71 et seq of Deeds, Records of Nevada County, Calif.

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ELMA HECKER,
Tax Collector of Nevada County, State of California.

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Bill Would Allow Heavier Loads For Log Trucks

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) A bill which would permit the upping of weights hauled by logging trucks has been amended on the floor of the assembly and referred back to committee.

The bill as presented on the floor by its author, Frank P. Belotti of Eureka, provided weight increases for any trucks hauling unprocessed natural resources products.

Several members of the assembly objected that the proposal would allow weight increases for trucks carrying gravel, oil and other unprocessed products.

Belotti then submitted amendments limiting the increase to logging trucks, which the assembly adopted.

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Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, Placer and Nevada Counties, California, at the office of the Superintendent, Truckee, California, on or before, and not later than Monday, April 18, 1955, at eight o'clock p.m., at which place and time bids will be opened for the purchase of one school bus in accordance with the specifications on file at the office of the District Superintendent.

The above bus shall meet all requirements of the State of California in every respect as set forth by the State Department of Education and the California Highway Patrol for 1955 regulations.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids, in part or intoto, to waive any irreguarities, and to be the sole judge of the suitability of equipment offered.

Bidders are required to submit complete specifications for any and all items for which bids are offered and furnish a certified check in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the bid to guarantee faithful performance of contract.

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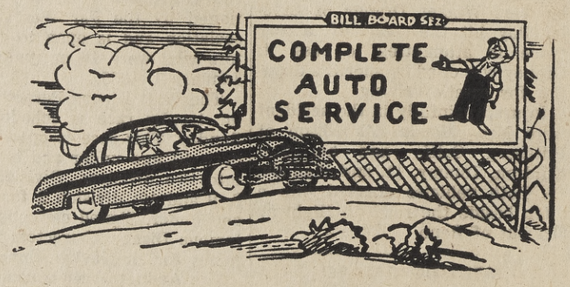

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Truckee Public Utility District
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Truckee Sanitary District
Meets 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Justice Court Offices.

Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District
Meets 2nd Tuesday each month at 8 p.m. at the high school.

Tahoe Forest Hospital District
Meets 2nd Friday each month at 7:00 p.m. at the hospital.

Truckee Fire District
Meets 1st Tuesday each month at 10 a.m. in R. N. Little's office.

Truckee Cemetery District
Meets at call of Chairman W. M Englehart.

SIERRA SUN ADS PAY!

NORTH TAHOE

By JUDGE HARRY CHARRISON

Our Community

The North Tahoe Community Club presided over by the president, Fred Schultz, met last Tuesday night when around 60 attended to discuss many problems that confront the community. Schultz pointed out that members of the North Tahoe Archery Club were directly responsible for the opening of the lake for all year fishing, an innovation that will mean a tremendous step in helping this area to become a year round sporting paradise. The members were loud in their praise for those members that participated in the meetings of the fish and game department. The speaker of the evening was Frank Paoli, a member representing this district on the Placer County board of supervisors. Before attending the meeting, he addressed the Lions Club of Lake Tahoe, where he was a guest at dinner. He made a report on the roads, with promises of a first-class road for the short cut in 1956 but whether the state would take it over is a matter of conjecture at the moment. There is also a movement on foot to name and number the streets in the Kings Beach area. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting, with Mrs. Schultz. Mrs. Port and Mrs. Little and Walter Pope as the expert coffee-maker.

Fishing Rough

Well, the first day of fishing under the new set-up was kinda rough. The old lake was pretty turbulent, just like the ocean, it was. Was down on the pier at the Tahoe Boat Company, Tahoe City, and believe me the catches were something to behold. One fisherman got two at once, the lucky guy.

Recuperating

Alice Sorensen ran down to San Francisco with Finnie Arney to see Andy. She seemed quite encouraged in Andy's condition. As he was to sit up for a while, but it would be a little while before the full results are known. Alice came back with some friends which was a whole lot better than the bus ride, says she.

Bethrothal

Here's the news we have been waiting for. Charles Moore of Tahoe Vista, and Pat Allen, announce their engagement, and the wedding will take place in about two weeks. Charlie is well known in Truckee and Tahoe having been a member of the 20-30 Club and is a member of the Lake Tahoe Lions Club. Pat is also well known around these parts having grown up here and attended the Tahoe-Truckee High School.

Building

Amongst those that are building resorts and homes around the area are Cloyd Sipes, who is building some very nice places on Bear street, which I understand will be known as the Lake-Air Resort. Cute, eh? Also the Madison Electric has built an Electric Shop and apartments on Coon street. Ned Malla is going ahead with more apartments at his resort on the highway. Bru O'Brien has almost finished his apartments over the Home Cafe. Larry Ludlow of Ludlow's Lodge is building a nice building on the lake side of the highway. Just at the moment I haven't time to look around, but I am sure there are a whole lot more busy builders around and shall get them later. Oh, yes, Olsons of Tahoe have opened up their novelty shop.

Church Notes

On Sunday, April 17, the Lake Tahoe Lions will attend service at the Community Methodist Church, Kings Beach. All Lions, no matter where they are from, are invited. Rev. Covher will speak on the Lions Code of Ethics so don't forget the date, but don't wait til that day, come this Sunday, too, won't you? At the service last Sunday Ruth Mizner and Pearl and Bob Moore became members, and their sweet baby girl was christened Syd Delice. The pastor's sermon was "A Little Child Shall Lead Them." Watch for a big chow mein dinner at 6 p.m. on the 17th of April. You can get tickets from most members. Hope to have an attendance of around a couple of hundred. Glad to have Ruth Mizner back at the organ.

Charlie Paddock

Pasadenans of this area will be interested to know that there is a Bronze relief being placed in the Los Angeles Coliseum in memory of the late Charlie Paddock, the "world's fastest human" in the nineteen twenties. Charlie was quite a friend of ours, and was sports editor, and had an interest in the Pasadena Star News, at the time of his death. He lost his life in a plane accident.

Indian Stories

I hear our friend, George Phillips, owner of Sandy Beach Hotel and Resort, is back up for a while, maybe for the summer. His manager, Bob Critchley, and family are taking a short vacation in Oakland, before starting out on a busy season. Those that don't know George should make a call. He is wonderfully versed in the history of this part of the country, even when the Indians were camped on the ground he now occupies.

Back Home

Well I never, the Charrisons are back in their summer home on the golf course, after spending the winter at the Pine Cove Cottages while the owners were basking in the sunshine down south in Glendale. Meredith and Dee Siple say it will be nice to get back and cool off a wee bit, although too hot down there.

New Car

Milton Monette, the lumberjack of Kings Beach, just took a secret trip to Sacramento last Friday and returned with a new one-ton and a half truck. Says Milt: Now I can take on any job they give me, it's a real dandy. Milt and his wife, Elizabeth have a quonset hut on Cutthroat street, Kings Beach, and are fixing it up in great shape, and mighty comfortable, too.

Gift Shop

Came up from Tahoe City a few minutes ago, after quite a busy court session and saw where Dr. Hageman of Tahoe Vista has been building a swell apartment house. A real credit to the community. Also I see that Chuck Moseley, the painter, is back and a sign at his office says, "Gift Shop." So I guess it will be worth looking over. Also I heard that Billy Martin and wife are back for the summer.

Eats

Theresa Sutton of the Buckhorn Inn in Kings Beach, informs me that she will open up her restaurant on Saturday of this week, with the same chef, Pete Metropole. He has been there for a long time. Hope you have a good season, Theresa.

Easter Service

Let us not forget the Easter services this year as usual will be held by the courtesy of Tom Lucas, at the Brockway Theater, special service and music will be given, so We Wish Everyone a Happy Good Friday and a Very Happy Easter Tide.

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NEW BOOK BEING PUBLISHED FROM PEN OF TAHOEAN

ETHEL JOSLIN VERNON

Ethel Joslin Vernon, poet, artist and columnist of the High Sierra region for more than 35 years, announced this week the publication of her new book "Through the Rainbow Gate." This book includes more than 150 pages of her best poetry taken from work written over a period of the past 20 years of her life, and is fully illustrated with the author-artist's own drawings.

A great majority of the poems were inspired by experiences in the lives of various friends and acquaintances, and in each of them Mrs. Vernon merges herself mentally into another's personality, speaking as that person would speak, if that person were writing the poem.

Thus—"Through the Rainbow Gate" is really a mystery book, and while no separate personality could ever be singled out, nearly anyone who reads it may find in it something to fit an experience in his own life.

The author was born in the heart of the Ozark mountains, and came to California as a child. She was very young when she chose Tahoe as home, and through the intervening years has become well acquainted with this region, and with the back country wilderness for many miles around.

Among this author's past publications are a first book of poetry—"A Voice from the Mountain Top," a book of regional information, description and 38 of her own photographs, entitled, "Tahoe Trails and Sierra Mountain Memories" and several smaller booklets.

An ad, giving full description and price of the new book, will follow in the next issue.

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SKI CLUB MEETS TO DECIDE UPON CONTINUED MERGER

TAHOE CITY—A letter this week, from Gordon W. Butterfield, president of the Squaw Valley-Lake Tahoe Ski Club, announces that on the evening of Friday, April 8, the club will hold a special meeting in the Community Center in Tahoe City. He states that, besides the usual business, a great deal of which there will be of interest to members, there will also be an open discussion of the advisability as to continuation of the merger of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club with the Squaw Valley Ski Club, which was tentatively made some time ago.

It seems that at the time of the consolidation of the two clubs, it was generally understood that the merger was to operate on a trial basis for a year. President Butterfield says that, in order for the board of directors to make an intelligent decision, they must have the opinions and ideas of all the members. He urges the entire local adult public to attend the meeting.

Butterfield further adds, "We the board of directors, also hope you will all take advantage of this opportunity to express any intelligent opinions or suggestions you may have regarding the future of skiing in our community. It is planned that this meeting shall be for adults only."

The ski club's annual junior tournament was held on Sunday, April 3, at the Squaw Valley winter sports grounds. The entire membership attended, and a good many of them took part in the events. Spectators attending were many, and were from all the snow sports centers in northern California and western Nevada. Although it is late in the season, and spring is at hand, ski club officials say they expect to stage a few more events before the closing of activities to make way for summer.

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TAHOE CITY—Marie Henry, Red Cross first aid instructor here, announces that anyone finding their Red Cross card on the verge of expiration may attend her refresher class, of nine hours duration, and receive a card good for three years.

Through Mrs. Henry, it was learned this week that Robert Smith, a Red Cross water safety instructor, will be stationed in Tahoe City during the week beginning April 18. He says that any member who has a current card, either standard or advanced, and would like to add to it a first aid instructor's card, may do so by taking the required lessons from him while he is here. Any time after the 18th. Smith's location here may be learned by telephoning Mrs. Henry at 70.

Z. A. Neal, another instructor of the Sacramento area offices, spent Wednesday and Thursday here during the past week.

Mrs. Henry's instruction classes are now half way through their allotted time, and the student membership is still growing with each succeeding class. New students from the age of 18 years on up, will be welcomed to the classes held at the Tahoe Lake School every Monday, Tuesday and Friday evening.

GATES CLOSED

THOE CITY—All gates at Lake Tahoe are closed, Art Frodenberg, cooperative observer, reported Monday. The lake level stood at 6226.01 feet. Four inches of snow during the past week left a total of .16 of an inch of precipitation.

EASTER SEALS—Virginia Mayo, Warner Bros. star of "The Silver Chalice," joins 8-year-old Carol Lewis in urging all citizens to support this year's Easter Seal campaign which benefits crippled children.

EASTER SERVICES SET FOR THEATER

KINGS BEACH—The annual Easter service of the Kings Beach Community Church will be held again this year at the Brockway Theater at eleven o'clock next Sunday morning. The theater will seat only about 300; and judging from last year's full house, Rev. Covher suggests an early arrival if you want a seat.

The worship will include considerable music, and will feature the Easter sermon by Rev. Covher, entitled, "What Did Easter Cost?" In addition to the congregational singing, the choir will render two anthems, and Mr. Covher will sing "The Holy City." Due to acoustical problems there will be no presentations by the children.

GRANATA HEADS ORDER

Elmo Granata of Reno, former Truckee resident and brother-in-law of Mrs. N. F. Dolley was elected president of the California Societies of the Oramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan at a convention held Sunday at Fresno.

The United States Regular Army was organized Sept. 29, 1789.

BROCKWAY ROTARY OBSERVES DATE OF CLUB FOUNDING

KINGS BEACH—The Rotary Club of Brockway observed the 50th anniversary of Rotary International at a meeting held on Monday night, April 4, at the Crystal Ray restaurant.

President Asa Abbott presided over the meeting and later turned the program over to program chairman, Marion Dodd, who presented the golden anniversary film, "Rotary Throughout the World." This film depicted the progress of Rotary, step by step from it's foundation by Paul Harris in 1905 at Chicago and which has since spread throughout the world. The principle narrator of the film was Edward Arnold of film fame, who explained the principles and services of Rotary.

Chairman Roy Porath called attention to the Easter party for the children on Saturday afternoon, April 9, at the Brockway Theater and which wil be followed with an egg hunt. He called for volunteers.

Richard Springer, Crystal Bay, was inducted into the club under the classification of pharmacist.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

Dear Sir: Referring to the item in last week's "Sierra Sun" "Displaying of Flags" as the President Sees It.

I would like to say, had the president walked down the street as far as Brown's Cafe, and faced directly south, he would have seen six American flags, in two set pieces holding three (3) flags each.

Furthermore those flags have been displayed February 22, June 14 and July 4th for the past 19 years.

Respectfully,
MRS. R. T. BUDDLE

DISABLED VETS MAY GET FREE FISH LICENSES

Free fishing and hunting licenses are available to totally disabled veterans only if their disabilities are service-connected, according to John T. Trauner, county service officer.

For this reason, he said, the state law providing free licenses and tags does not apply to veterans drawing non-service-connected pensions.

Trauner added that while the law calls for a disability to be total, it need not be permanent. Since many disabilities are subject to change, veteran applicants must obtain a certificate of total disability from the Veterans Administration and send it to the Department of Fish and Game before six months elapse.

Fishing licenses in California are issued beginning in January, while hunting licenses and tags are isssued beginning in July. A VA disability certification which a qualified veteran obtains early in the year will not only help him get his free fishing license right away, but will also qualify him for the free hunting license and tags later, provided he doesn't let more than six months go by.

Trauner cautioned applicants to send their requests for exemptions directly to:

License Section, Department of Fish and Game, 926 J street, Sacramento 14, California.

NEW ORGAN WILL BE PURCHASED BY LAKE TAHOE CHURCH

KINGS BEACH—At a recent meeting of the official board of the Kings Beach Community Church, a unanimous decision was reached to place the order for the Zeitz Memorial organ.

A Baldwin organ model 5 was chosen, and delivery will take from 30 to 90 days. The down payment for the organ has been donated by friends and relatives of the Ray Zeitz family which was wiped out in the tragic domestic fire of December 18.

Further contributions to the fund should be designated "Zeitz Memorial Fund" and left at the Kings Beach Utility office (above the Post Office) or at the Truckee Bank, or mailed to the church, Box 314.

NOTICE FOR PAYMENT OF COUNTY TAXES

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1954 and ending June 30, 1955, will be due on November 1, 1954 and will be delinquent on the 10th day of December, 1954 at 5 o'clock p.m. and unless paid prior thereto six per cent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the 1st day of February, 1955 and will become delinquent on the 11th day of April, 1955 at 5 o'clock p.m. unless paid prior thereto six per cent will be added to the amount thereof together with a further charge of $1.00 for each lot, piece or parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property.

All taxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided is due and payable.

Taxes are payable at the Treasurer's and Tax Collector's office, Nevada County Courthouse, Nevada City, California.

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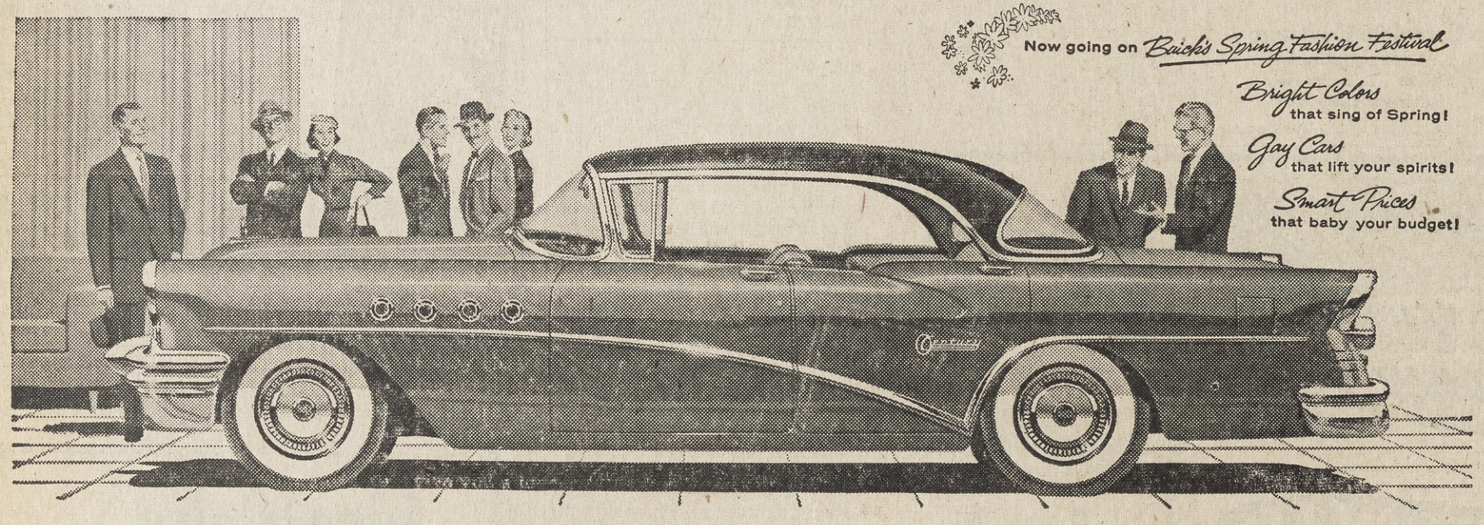
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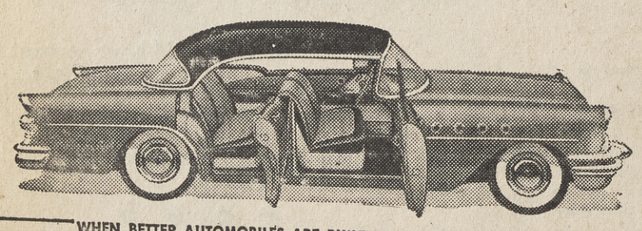

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SUMMIT SCENE

by FRAN COUILLARD

The Harold Eugene Jones, American Legion Nost No. 811, known as "The High and Mighty" —being geographically the highest post in altitude in the department of California, has discovered gold. Returning from Loomis last Sunday evening where representatives and members of the 6th District convened from Sacramento, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer and Yolo counties, the Big Four of Post 811, Milton Hogle, commander; William Rutherford, adjutant; Charles Reynolds and Elmo Moriano, both past commanders, shouted "Eureka!" They proudly displayed the gold honor ribbon of 1955, the American Legion Department of California gold star citation and the American Legion National special certificate for most distinguished service. Besides this glittering array they each wear a Golden Bear on their Legionnaire caps—this latter dangle for getting five new members for their High and Mighty Post.

The Gold ribbon, the Gold Star citation and the distinguished service diploma, I needn't add, are also for a membership drive record, for this little Post attained (on a percentage basis) a figure of 248 per cent, which was chalked up on the golden tablet as the highest percentage for District 6.

New members were garnered from all over the United States by the hard working "miners" in their prospecting frenzy. Trom Truckee, Mentone, Sacramento, Oakland, Riverdale, Nebraska, Paradise, Tahoe City, Del Paso Heights, San Bruno, Lincoln, Emigrant Gap, Limestone, Maine, Berkeley, Richmond, Auburn, Grass Valley, San Francisco, Norden, Vacaville, Santa Rosa, El Cerrito, Camptonville, Winnemucca, Nev., Washington, D.C., Honolulu-T.H., Belmont and their own Soda Springs, No. 811's prospectors located their nuggets!

From Limestone, Maine came the membership of Colonel Jackson E. Lewis—commanding officer of Limestone Air Force Base. From Honolulu — our own Bill Vail's membership (Bill is lieutenant commander for the navy—stationed in Honolulu and holds the Navy Cross for World War II which he modestly refuses to discuss.) Capt. Leland Straugh on the personal staff of the United States secretary of defense sends his membership dues from Paris, France, the birthplace of the American Legion. The Nebraska membership is from former Nordenite, Eddie Coppel, who carried his spade to that mid-western state. Dave Sheppard is the member who hails from the Winnemucca diggin's. (Incidentally 19 of the original 38 charter members still hold membership in the Harold Jones Post.)

Not satisfied with carrying off all the gold at the 6th District meeting—Chuck Reynolds was nominated for the District's third vice commander, without opposition. The office of third vice is a newly opened office—created for the purpose of representing small outlying posts such as the No. 811 and the election comes out in the "panning" process which will be held at Florin, in June.

As a follow-up on the gold expedition—the regular meeting of the Donner Summit Post was held at Bill Rutherford's home Tuesday evening where delegates and alternates were elected for the American Legion convention to be held in San Diego the latter part of June. The "Big Four" of the High and Mighty are making reservations—Elo, Chuck, Bill and Milt. Wonder if there's more gold to be found in San Diego?

Off to Europe

A delightful "break" in the afternoon (Monday) came when Portia Wagonet and Ruth Melnicoe trudged down Highway 40 from their Castle Creek home to Donner Summit Lodge to say "hello."

"Did we tell you we were going to Europe this summer?" said they. They leave our shores on the good ship United States on June 10. These adventurers have purchased a Volkswagon which they will pick up in Cologne. From there to the Iberian Peninsula to sketch, take colored slides, study art galleries of Spain and Portugal, tour Tangier, and visit a few skiing areas. Not satisfied with the above program—which they intend to execute in four months—and will —Ruth will file in the active filing cabinet of her active mind—material for a new book which we hope will be as interesting as her former book 'Experiencing Europe' which Ruth not only wrote but illustrated. Flying from Chicago in July to join Ruth and Portia will be their perennial Soda Springs visitor—Irma Walker. Irma, not to be cheated of the company of Ruth and Portia—will join them for the last three months of their stay. (We wish we could join them, too!)

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On Sick List

Husband Art—took a trip to Nevada City this past Sunday afternoon to cheer up Soda Springs' John Carl, who is again on the sick list at the County Hospital in Nevada City. A "get well" card to John might help pass the lonely days he spends away from his many friends.

About Characters

They say if "characters" are really "characters" they end up at these higher altitudes. We, having been classified various and sundry times as a "character" do not gainsay the saying for characters cannot judge their own ilk. (Incidentally and for the record) we are not saying that everyone who perches on this granite knoll is a character. We merely reiterate that characters flourish well in this altitude! We recently added to our population of recent months —a couple whom we thought well fit in with our local character clique. Cute, pert, dimple in the corner of her mouth Pat Ryan with a drawl that made you wish to hug her; bland faced, easy-going Bill Ryan who could have been the original "happy go lucky." These, we said to ourselves, just simply "belong." Even their pup—bow-legged "Mr. Bill" with his droll turned up tail and his flat nose was a completely loveable character.

Known to investigators who picked them up last Friday as Ruth and Clyde McElvain the Soda Springs Community, incredulous, saw them carted off. Needless to say their departure created a stir and it is still with amazement that we realize that little Pat is accused of having her fingers in the pocketbook of a Federal Reserve Bank in North Carolina. The nicest thing about our community can be summed in the following words: "We still think they were nice!" And I'm wondering if they are not glad that it is all over?

More Skiers

It is my observation that this Easter Week has brought more skiers to our area—than at any other prevoius season. It is also my observation that skiing has firmly been established as a family business. Mom and Pop can't take the kids to a bridge party, or a cocktail party. They prefer to leave the small fry at home when a concert or a play they would attend. But skiing seems to have brought the family together again. I'd say—from observation, that 50 percent of the parties registered in our various hotels are family parties. For the teeny tinies—the tobaggon rules and from the looks of some of the sleds and tobaggons —these were new—come last Christmas.

Wants Location

One of the officials of the United States Department of the Interior, geological survey, writes that he is desirous of finding a place in the Soda Springs area for this coming summer. The period would be from approximately May 15 to November 15. Any ideas?

Many Moves

With the close of Easter Week we foresee a lot of preparation for the checker board moves of various residents and operators. The Hogles will move down the hill to their Rainbow cottage; the Roy Thompsons will move from their Highway 40 place to their Cedar home; the Couillards will move to their Kingvale home; pretty Shirley Graham will, reluctantly, leave the Santa Cruz Ski Lodge which she has managed for the winter and return to her Santa Cruz domicle; Zorich's Ski Shop will hang up their closed for the summer sign and take up permanent summer residence in their Soda Springs home; the U.S.F.S. at Big Bend starts to stir with renewed life; the Bueks will close their Ski Shop —but with their boundless energy have evidently gotten themselves lined up with a summer program.

Intrepid summerites have already braved snow drifts around their summer cabins—exploring the possibilities of opening up early this year. Among these are perennial Kingvale Belles who just can't wait for the drifts to recede—and who have thus far made two snowshoe trips into their little summer cottage on the banks of the Yuba. Those who are chained to their year round businesses—look forward to that-in-between season vacation.

And that's the Summit Scene for now!

TRUCK CHECK

In a periodic truck check at Sierraville last Thursday, officers of the Truckee squad of the California Highway Patrol cited 10 drivers for various violations from faulty brakes to registration.

Sgt. Ed Freeman en route home cited Brent Taylor of Reno after a rather thrilling chase at 90 miles an hour over 18 miles of mountain road.

BACK AT LAKE

Tahoe City residents returning include Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kilner, coming back from Laguna Beach and Mrs. Fern Schleuter who left Oakland and is expected home after Easter.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Room 510, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, until 2 o'clock p.m. on April 27, 1955, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the Assembly Room of said building, for construction on State highway in accordance with the specifications therefor, to which special reference is made, as follows:

Nevada and Placer Counties, at six locations, near Truckee and Tahoe City (III—Nev, Pla—37, 38, 39—Var), about 13.9 miles in net length to be surfaced with plant-mixed surfacing on cement treated base and on the existing surfacing and applying seal coats.

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

Rate per hour	Classification
$2.345	Apprentice (oiler, fireman, watchman)
2.845	Asphalt plant engineer
2.325	Blaster—powderman
2.255	Bootman
2.515	Boxman or mixer box operatorr (concrete or asphalt plant)
2.455	Fireman in hot plant
2.075	Flagman
2.845	Heavy duty repairman
2.345	Heavy duty repairman—helper
2.075	Laborer
2.845	Mechanical finisher operator (concrete or asphalt) (highway or street work)
2.175	Operator of vibrators and all pneumatic, gas and electric tools
3.005	Operator of power shovel and|or other excavating equipment with shovel-type controls (up to and including one yard)
3.175	Operator of power shovel and|or other excavating equipment with shovel-type control (over one yard)
3.005	Power grader operator (power planer, motor patrol or any type power blade)
2.10	Road oiler
2.845	Roller operator
2.455	Soreed man
2.845	Tractor operator
2.10	Truck driver (less than 4 cubic yards water level)
2.20	Truck driver (4 cubic yards and less than 6 cubic yards water level)
2.30	Truck driver (6 cubic yards and less than 8 cubic yards water level)
2.40	Truck driver (8 cubic yards and less than 12 cubic yards water level)
2.60	Truck driver (12 cubic yards water level or more)

Any classification omitted herein not less than $2.075 per hour.

Overtime—not less than one and one-half (1½) times the above rates.

Sundays and holidays—not less than one and one-half (1½) times the above rates. The holidays upon which such rates shall be paid shall be all holidays recognized in the collective bargaining agreement applicable to the particular craft, classification or type of workmen employed on the project.

Plans may be seen, and forms of proposal, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, and they may be seen at the offices of the District Engineers at Los Angeles and San Francisco, at the office of the District Engineer of the district in which the work is situated, and at the office of the Associated General Contractors in San Francisco.

No bid will be considered unless it is made on a blank form furnished by the State Highway Engineer and is made in accordance with the provisions of the Proposal Requirements and Conditions set forth under Section 2 of the Standard Specifications. Each bidder must be licensed and also prequalified as required by law. (See said Proposal Requiremenets and Conditions.)

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS.
G. T. McCOY,
State Highway Engineer.

Dated: April 1, 1955. M-31-A-7-14

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

In the matter of the Estate of Henry G. BECK, Deceased) No. 5557
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of Henry G. Beck, deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Monday, April 18th, 1955, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M. or after said day, at the law office of Francis W. Robichaud, in the Masonic Building in the town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, all the right, title, and interest and estate of the said Henry G. Beck at the time of his death, and all the right, title, and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Henry G. Beck at the time of his death in and to that certain parcel of land particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point from which the North ¼ Section corner of Section 16, Township 17 North, Range 16 East M.D.B. & M., bears the following two courses, S 89° 40′ E, 139.68 feet; thence N 0° 03′ E, 685.00 feet; thence from point of commencement N 89° 40′ W, 140.00 feet: thence S 0° 20′ W, 100.00 feet; thence S 89° 40′ E, 140.00 feet; thence N 0° 20′ E, 100.00 feet to the point of beginning. All corners are ¾ inch pipe.

The above described parcel of land is a portion of the North ½ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 16 of the aforesaid Township and range, situated in the County of Nevada, State of California. Containing 0.321 acres. (Together with all improvements located in and upon said real property.)

Bids or offers are invited for said property and must be in writing and will be received at the law office of Francis W. Robichaud, Masonic Building, Truckee, California, attorney for said Executor, or may be filed with the Clerk of the said Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or delivered to the said Executor personally at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United State of America, ten per cent of the purchase price to be paid on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court. Deed at the expense of the purchaser. Sale subject to taxes for year 1955, and to liens and assessments of record.

Dated: March 29, 1955.
EDWARD MEISS,
Executor of the Estate of Henry G. Beck, Deceased.
FRANCIS W. ROBICHAUD
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NEWS NOTES FROM TAHOE

By Ethel Joslin Vernon
Box 636, Tahoe City.
Telephone Tahoe 62

The usual weekend switch-back in the weather this time came on Friday, and amounted to just enough to dampen the early opening of fishing season in the lake. The storm wind blew up a sprinkle of mixed snow and rain, which continued through the day and all night Friday night, managing to make the lake's surface a most uncomfortable place for fishermen. Accordingly boats on the water were very few, and became scarcer as the day wore on.

With clearing skies on Saturday morning, Weather Observer Arthur Frodenberg registered .08 precipitation with 1½ inches snowfall for the storm. After about 24 hours of clear skies flurries of wet snow fell again through Sunday night, and on Monday morning Frodenberg measured 2½ inches of snow with the same .08 precipitation. He said the snow pack at his measurement location still measured 16 inches, seeming to indicate that the weather temperature is remaining below the thawing point.

He said the highest temperature last week was 47 above on the first of April, and the lowest came on March 30, when it fell to 10 above. At present there are no water gates open at the dam, and not much change in lake level.

On Monday a violent east wind swept the lake all day, rolling the white caps high on the shore along the commons, and there were no fishing boats on the water.

Lucky Fishermen

On the first day of fishing most of the resident fishermen kept to the piers for safety and comfort's sake. Among lucky anglers on that day were two boys, Jerry Quam, a former Tahoeite now living in Truckee, and Phil Korich, up from Sacramento to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Korich of Lake Forest. The boys fished from pier ends along the shore near Lake Forest. Phil took a limit in two large rainbows, while Jerry's limit consisted of several nice lake trout.

Hosts at Dinner

Al Henry, Jr., manager of the Granlibakken Ski Lodge, was one of the first lucky pier fishermen on the opening morning. Al fished off a pier end near Tahoe City and took his limit in fair sized lake trout. On Friday evening he and his wife Jean were hosts at a tasty trout dinner with all the trimmings, served in their Granlibakken home. Present at dinner, besides the family, were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry, Sr., and Mr. Odd Hodne, employed at Granlibakken.

Find Season Early

On Saturday the storm wind had abated, making the deep water fishing a little hazardous and a lot pleasanter. Several fishermen drove in from more distant localities, including Auburn, Reno and Sparks. They carried their fishing boats on trailers and launched them off the beach at the Tahoe Cty commons. Fishing cars parked along the lake front there, gave the shore a "Fourth-of-July look|" Art Canero of this city took his limit on Saturday from deep water off the Tahoe City shore. It consisted of one huge mackinaw. Most of the old-timers here say they find it a bit early in the season for the best fishing. One old resident said it was too early yet for the "pogies" to come in from deep water, and since the lake was to remain open to fishing indefinitely, he could well afford to wait for pleasanter weather.

Recalls Incident

Last Wednesday, while on a trip to Reno, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry of this city stopped in at the hospital there, and visited with a patient who is an old-timer of Tahoe from the very early 1900's. She is Mrs. Margaret Brown, who lived at the lake in 1907, and in those days learned to fish from Tahoe's really expert old-timers, Charlie Ferris and Bill Boyle. The latter is now almost a legend in this locality, and the monument on his tomb, once hewed from a giant pine tree, can be seen standing bleached and tall, on the mountain top behind Tahoe City.

Mrs. Brown recalled at this time a very interesting incident which occurred at the old Tahoma resort back in the 1920's when she and the Henrys all lived around that vicinity. It happened at the time of the year when the fish were coming in from deep water, and the Henry's son, Al Jr., about two years old then, had somehow escaped unnoticed from his playpen. He was stretched out on the very edge of the pier's end intently watching a school of fish drift by in the clear deep water. Mrs. Brown walked on to the pier, saw the baby leaning on the edge, and froze in horror. She still recalls very clearly how she crept silently on tiptoe to where she was able to reach out and snatch the youngster from the very brink of a watery grave, as in an other minute at most he would have slipped over the edge into the lake. Mrs. Brown says that, to this day, she still tenses up and holds her breath when the memory of that long past incident returns.

Plane to Bay

The Henrys took their small granddaughter, Mary Tabor, to the Reno Airport on Wednesday where she boarded a plane all alone for her home in the Bay area. Tabor had been enjoying a few days extra visit with her grandparents after her mother, Pat Henry Fox, had motored home from a week's vacation here.

Has Operation

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pierson, former Tahoe residents in the past, recently purchased the Don Bowman home here on the Fairways tract, and Mrs. Pierson has been spending some time at the place during the past week. She said that, following the purchase of this home, they had gone back to Topeka, Kas., where her husband was later confined in a hospital for an emergency operation. She said he is now convalescing there very nicely, and she will wait here till he is able to return.

Skiier Hurt

Jimmy Baker, one of the Tahoe Ski Club's ace skiers, is reported this week as being laid off from competitive skiing for the remainder of this season because of a recent injury. Jimmy was scheduled to compete in the Harriman Cup race in Sun Valley, and was on the scene early, but in practice several hours before the races he suffered a severe injury to his ankle which prevented his participation.

Fractures Leg

In order to suffer severe accidents on skis it isn't necessary to be a mere beginner, as proven one day last week on the slopes of Squaw Valley. Bud Jones, a highly efficient school ski instructor, while skiing down a medium slope, Jones found his glasses fogged, and remvoed them to clear the glass, and in the next split second he had fallen and fractured his leg. The one slightly lucky part in the whole deplorable incident was that the school skiing classes were closed for the season some time ago.

Unusual Accident

Another unusual accident occurred on Sunday night when a baby girl is reported to have rolled out of bed in her sleep and fractured her shoulder. She is the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Diltz of this city. Diltz has been occupied as propane distributor here during the past winter.

At Tahoe Inn

Among prominent Piedmont residents who own summer homes at Tahoe, and who are spending the week as guests at the Tahoe Inn are Dr. and Mrs. Clarke Burnham and four children; Mrs. R. F. Hotle, daughters Helen and Louise, and sons Jim and Bob, and two young friends, the Misses Margie Carmichael and Grayde Lawyer.

Occupy Home

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merrill and family of San Francisco, with a party of friends, are occupying the Merrill summer home this week on the lakeshore at Tahoe City.

Back at Tahoe

Pete Ceccarelli of Sacramento. a past old-timer who built the El Campo resort for the late Bill Johnson in the year 1936, is back at Tahoe this week for the first time in many years, and is visiting at the home of friends at Tahoe Pines.

Flys East

Mrs. Denis Sach of Pineland is enjoying a vacation with friends and relatives in the east these early spring days. Mrs. Sach left for Philadelphia by United Air Lines more than a week ago. She is expected to be home by the middle of April.

Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gehlert, former Tahoe citizens who, through the past winter, have been employed as caretakers on the Henry J. Kaiser estate, last week entertained as houseguests Mr. Gehlert's mother, Mrs. Helen Gehlert and his brother, Walter.

Hong Kong Visitor

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moz, who recently rented the A. M. Anderson's cliff cottage, had as their houseguest last week her brother, Otto Lang. Lang, a well known motion picture director, had just returned from Hong Kong, China, where he was busy for several weeks making a new feature movie.

CHURCH CHOIR TO PRESENT PROGRAM

KINGS BEACH—The volunteer choir of the Kings Beach Community Church will present an evening of colored pictures and music this Friday at eight o'clock. The program will consist of the world's masterpieces of art, covering the events of Christ's last week on earth, with an eye witness narrative of John Mark given by Barney Gilmore. The choir will furnish appropriate musical settings from familiar passiontide hymns. The congregation will also join in several hymns.

Following this Good Friday presentation of "His Last Week," the congregation will observe Holy Communion. In keeping with the regular policy of the church, this service, including Communion, will be open to all without regard to church membership or denominational affiliation. The evening will be concluded by the solo "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked," sung by Rev. Covher. Mrs. Joy Plunkett will also do a solo entitled, "He Tenderly Looked at Me." Other regular members of the choir include: Bernice Franklin, Kay Felte, Ruth Woodhull, Helen Ehlers, Joellyn Ashton, Jack Felte, Gene Howard, Jimmy Chastain, Ruth Mizner, and Virginia Covher.

Luther Burbank was born at Lancaster, Mass., March 7, 1849.

Ordinance No. 5501
OF
TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT
Establishing Hours of Polling and Number of Election Board Officers in District Elections

WHEREAS the Truckee Public Utility District is a public utility district duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Public Utility District Act of the State of California, being Sections 15501 and following, of the Public Utilities Code of California, and

WHEREAS Section 16156 of said Public Utilities Code, herein-above referred to, provides for the establishment of hours of polling and the number of election board officers at elections in public utility districts operating and existing thereunder;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT, as follows:

1. That, pursuant to Section 16156 of the Public Utilities Code of the State of California, hereafter the voting polls at District elections shall be open, and the hours of polling shall, and are hereby established to be, from and between the hours of 1 P.M., to and until the hour of 6 P.M.

2. That, pursuant to Section 16156 of the Public Utilities Code of the State of California, hereafter at District elections, the election boards shall consist of three members, to-wit: one inspector, one judge and one clerk.

E. L. LOYND,
President of the Board of Directors of Truckee Utility District.

ATTEST:
C. EDMUNDS
Clerk and ex-Officio Secretary of Board of Director thereof.

3t—a7-14-21

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids in duplicate will be received by the Manager of Truckee Public Utility District, State of California, at the office of the District, Main street, Truckee, California, until 3 p.m., April 12, 1955, for the purchase of the following:

1—One only, four-wheel drive one-ton truck chassis against which the District proposes to turn in One only 1947 Dodge Power Wagon.

Specifications for the above Truck equipment may be obtained from the Manager of this District.

TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT
By C. Edmunds, Manager.
m 31 a7-1955

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VALUE OF PATROL SHOWN IN REPORT BY STATE OFFICIAL

SACRAMENTO — California's traffic accidents last year, equaled a loss of $26.50 for every man, woman and child in the state, the California Highway Patrol has announced.

Based on a National Safety Council formula which computes the costs of all fatal, injury, and property damage accidents at the rate of $110,000 loss per traffic death, the total dollar loss for 1954 came to $341,400,000.

Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell explained that the staggering economic loss was suffered as a result of a grisly traffic toll including 3,104 dead and 108,265 injured in 180,186 traffic accidents.

He emphasized, as another sickening phase of the entire traffic accident picture the fact that more than nine thousand of the injured have suffered permanent disabilities.

Caldwell pointed out that despite the tragic toll, the 1954 traffic accident record reflected considerable improvement over 1953. Traffic deaths throughout the state showed a drop of 267, and 207 of these lives were saved in unincorporated areas where the patrol concentrates its enforcement.

"Last year the cost to each Californian for the entire patrol operation was $1.24, while traffic accident costs, if equally distributed, would have cost $26.50 per capita. Efficient enforcement is obviously a sound investment," the commissioner reminded.

Few Drivers Cause Of Many Vehicle Mishaps

SACRAMENTO—Don't be a motoring misfit.

California Highway Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell today applied this term to the small numercial percentage of California drivers who cause, and are involved in, the vast majority of traffic accidents within the state.

A summary of patrol accident reports for 1954 indicates that a traffic law violation figured in 93 per cent of all fatal, injury, and property damage accidents. In 67,256 of 72,092 accidents reported. at least one violation occurred.

Driving records indicate that fewer than 15 per cent of licensed drivers in California caused, and were involved in, the traffic accidents in the state over a three-year period, and two-thirds of all drivers received no citations during the same three-year interval.

"It becomes more obvious than ever that the motoring misfit who disobeys traffic laws is the person responsible for most of California's traffic worries," Commissioner Caldwell declared.

"Despite our most diligent efforts, we cannot cite every traffic violation. It is therefore necessary that the misfits bring their driving habits into line with other highway users. It is essential that all motorists, an dpedesrtians too, know and obey the traffic laws," he explained.

STATE TO PLANT RECORD NUMBER OF TROUT IN 1955

Plans are complete for planting the greatest number of catchable sized trout ever accomplished in California streams this year, according to Earl Leitritz, supervisor of fish hatcheries for the state department of fish and game.

About 9,000,000 catchable rainbows, weighing approximately 1,500,000 pounds, will find their way into California lakes and streams during the next seven months, and a majority of them will end up in angler's creels.

Addition to the Moccasin creek hatchery to the production line, plus increased production at the Mojave and Fillmore hatcheries in southern California account for the increase over last year's figure of about 5,500,000 fish.

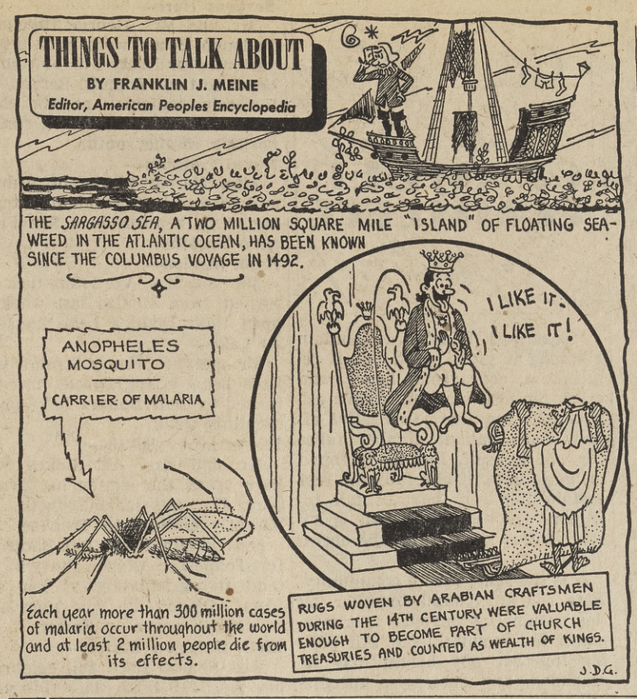
The number of fingerlings, most of which will be planted in high mountain lakes in remote country by air, will remain about the same as last year, when 13,000,000 were planted.

Leitritz said that planting generally begins about two weeks before the opening of the various seasons and continue through the final week of the season in October.

Planting is made on the basis of carrying capacity of streams and lakes, fishing pressures, and nearness to population centers.

Leitritz said that the fish crop is in excellent condition, with all hatcheries carrying their full capacity. Planting bases have been set up in Plumas and Napa counties in addition to those operating last year at Kyburz, Bear Valley, Brookdale, Carmel and San Luis Obispo.

There will be 56 planting trucks ready for the season-long job in addition to the department's airplane and a couple of mules. There still are a few lakes which are too dangerous for aerial planting.


THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia
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J.D.G.

HEADLAMPS ADD TO SAFETY OF VEHICLE, COMMISSIONER SAYS

SACRAMENTO—Headlamps will add to your safety at twilight.

Commissioner B. R. Caldwell of the highway patrol issued this word of caution to California motorists today. Caldwell pointed out that one-fourth of all traffic accidents in unincorporated areas of the state last year occurred between four and seven p.m. and many of these accidents involved vehicles being driven with only parking lights burning.

"An important factor contributing to the high percentage of accidents at twilight is the unsound practice of many motorists who continue to use parking lights while driving during hours of semi-darkness, as well as during fog or rain or other intervals of impaired visibility.

"The law is explicit in stating that headlamps must be lighted on any vehicle operated on the highway between thirty minutes after sunset and thirty minutes before sunrise and at any other time when a person or vehicle cannot be clearly seen for a distance of at least 200 feet," Caldwell pointed out.

"Parking lights are intended to warn that a vehicle is parked at the roadside outside a business or residence district at any time lights are required.

"Personal safety and good judgment call for lighted headlamps to proved adequate light on the highway and warn other motorists of your position," the commissioner declared.

"While parking lights may make some drivers feel mistakenly secure, they afford none of the protection provided by headlamps," he added.

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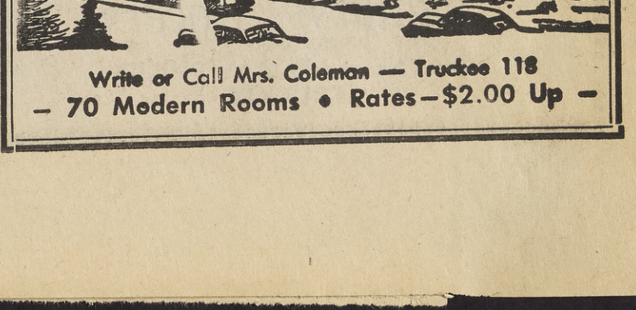

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:ss.
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On this 14 day of March, 1955, before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the County of Solano, personally appeared VERALDO MURATORI and THEODORE R. HAWKINS, known to me to be the persons described in, whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ROLLAND L. POPE
Notary Public in and for the County of Solano, State of California.

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SUMMARY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR APRIL, 1955

Friday, April 1, 1955

The regular meeting of the Board convened at 10:00 o'clock A. M. with all members present except Supervisor Henry G. Loehr. Chairman John L. Frank presided. The minutes of the meeting of March 17, 1955 were read and approved.

Members of the State Fair Board called upon the Board to urge them to become an exhibitor on behalf of Nevada County again this year.

The Superintendent of Nevada Union High School District was given permission to use the county booths and ballot boxes for the coming school elections.

Supervisor Loehr was granted permission to be absent from the State during a portion of April. Supervisor Guy N. Robinson was also granted permission to leave the state for a few days.

The following four people from Truckee were added to the Committee on Industrial Development: Robert E. Saunders, Jr., Kenneth L. Hedlund, Earl K. Stice, Francis W. Robichaud.

Members of the Board were granted permission to attend a state water meeting at Sacramento on April 14.

Claims were duly approved for payment; budget transfers were authorized; and a summary of the proceeding of the Board for April was ordered published in THE SIERRA SUN.

Elizabeth Wellington was advanced one step in the Hospital salary range from $150.00 to $160.-00 per month, effective May 1, 1955. Also June Kelly, Stenographer in the Welfare Department was advanced to her final pay step of $255.00, effective May 1, 1955.

The Board appointed H. S. Hallett as a member of the Nevada County Planning Commission, and passed resolutions cancelling taxes certified by the Assessor as being double assessments.

Tevis Payne appeared before the Board to urge it to exhibit this year at the Los Angeles County Fair at Pomona.

The Board was urged to form a Water Resources Board to make a study of the water potential within Nevada County. It was decided to give the matter further study.

Final approval was given to the map of the resubdivision of Block H of Grandview Terrace.

The request of the Road Commissioner to send two mechanics to a one day schooling conducted by the Austin Western Road Machinery Company on April 4 was granted. At the request of the Road Commissioner, certain road equipment was declared surplus and the Purchasing Agent was authorized to sell the same to the highest bidder.

The Assistant Director of Civil Defense reported regarding the program reecntly activated. His request for a budget for the balance of the fiscal year covering salary and supplies totaling $300.-00 was approved.

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COLOR
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Merle Oberon
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Tues., Wed., April 12-13
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Let's be a community of climbers, each helping the others, and all striving to attain the summit of our civic ambitions.

The plan authorized for the building of a Community Hall by the board of directors of the T.P.U.D., as cited last week in the Sierra Sun should be given careful thought and consideration by everyone.

I'm sure that any constructive thoughts and ideas along this line will be more than welcome by our Progressive Utility District.

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It is heart warming to see so many people out on these warm balmy days starting their spring cleaning early.

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Your next Chamber meeting will be Tuesday, April 19, 7:30 p.m. at the High School Cafeteria. Plan on attending for we have an interesting meeting planned for you.

—HAL WELCH

Hocker Returns When Painter Goes To Navy

After spending the winter at Rose Brothers Oroville store, Harvey Hocker has returned to the Truckee store where he has been employed for a number of years. He is replacing Willard Painter, who is leaving to enlist in the navy this week.

Hocker said he plans to move his family to Truckee and reestablish his home here as soon as he can dispose of his home in the valley.

Mary Anne Tonini Is Feted On Birthdate

Miss Mary Ann Tonini whose birth date occurred on April 1 was complimented at a dinner party, given by her aunt, Mrs. Mary Zunino. The attractively decorated table was centered with a spring-like arrangement of tulips and jonquils.

Following the bountiful Italian dinner the guests were shown moving pictures taken in Japan by Humbert Ciardella. Other guests included the Misses Sharon Pace, Ginger Reynolds, Nanette Young and William McClain, Bob Tonini, Jerry Quam.

Rotarians Hold Meet With Italian Dinner

An Italian dinner and recreational meeting at the Star Hotel featured Monday's session of the Truckee Rotary Club. No business was transacted and no program has been planned.

The next meeting Monday will be held at Brown's Cafe and on the 18th, the Rotarians will meet at Donner Lake Lodge where they will be joined by members of the Loyalton Club.

On April 25th, the club goes to Reno for a meeting at Riverside Hotel.

The Board unanimously adopted an ordinance providing for the working a prisoners confined in the county jail, and ordered same published in THE UNION.

The Board also adopted a new agreement with the Tahoe Forest Hospital for the care of persons who may be injured, and who are found to be indigent.

The Welfare Director was authorized to attend a conference of Welfare Directors in Sacramento on April 26.

Robert J. Steger was appointed building inspector for the Mooney Flat Bridge; and the County Juvenile Detention Home when the contract is let.

The Board adjourned until Wednesday, April 20, at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

R. E. DEEBLE,
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

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Bergens Here—

Mr. and Mrs. George Bergen of Redondo Beach were here briefly yesterday and asked to be remembered to their friends. Bergen was formerly principal at the high school here and holds a similar position in the south.

Nurse Training—

Miss Marcia Weeks of Auburn and former local resident is training to be a nurse in a San Francisco Hospital.

From Mexico—

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Shattuck returned from Mexico last week to open their Donner Lake house.

At Lake—

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strelow who have been in Inglewood, have returned to their Donner Lake property this week.

Stokes Leave South—

Mr. and Mrs. Art Stokes who have spent the winter in Shreveport, La., are leaving there, apparently enroute to Truckee.

Mrs. Ermin Hintz left Saturday for Tennessee where she will attend the graduation of her son from college and his marriage, which will occur on Easter.

Birth Date on Easter—

Miss Sharon Pace will celebrate her April 10 birth date this year on Easter Sunday.

Church Notes

A big event for the women of the Methodist Church is the annual district meeting to be held in Reno, April 13, at 9:45 a.m. through 3 p.m. Featured on the program are three speakers, a laywoman who has worked for the church in Rangoon, Burma, and two recently retired missionaries from Malaya. Several women from the church are attending.

This week all attention is pointed to the candlelight communion service on Thursday evening at 8 p.m. and the Easter morning service on Sunday. The Thursday evening service will be highlighted by the elements of Communion, a meditation on the later life of Jesus, and special numbers by the choir. There will also be opportunity for baptism for those desiring it.

LARGE AUDIENCE AT SCHOOL CARNIVAL

A large crowd attended the annual Tahoe-Truckee High School carnival held at the school gymnasium March 25.

The students expressed their thanks to the merchants of the community for their many donations of gifts which were widely distributed and assisted greatly in raising funds for student activities including publishing the annual, being done this year at Redwood City.

Final proceeds from the carnival were $667.38.

Entertainment was provided by the dramatics class under the supervision of Hugh Smith. The dancers were from the Stewart Indian school and delighted the audience.

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One Injured In Car Accidents During Week In This Area

Only one man was injured in a series of accidents during the past week, the California Highway Patrol reports.

Frank Rodekirchen, 43, Richmond, was taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital by the Truckee ambulance after he lost control of his car on a curve near Farad at noon Sunday and the vehicle hit the rocks beside the road and overturned. State Patrolman Carroll Maynard cited the driver for speeding.

Cars driven by George O. Warren of Woodland and Guy Gage of Marysville were damaged but the occupants escaped injury in a rear-end collision near Soda Springs Friday evening. Both drivers were cited by Patrolman Roy Stallard for driving without due caution.

Thomas Anderton, Jr., Richmond, and two companions, all amputees from the Oak Knoll Hospital, escaped hurts when his car struck a bridge at Boca and was wrecked. Patrolman Maynard cited the driver for speeding.

Vivian M. Seine, Stockton, and Hester A. Rhiner of Oakland were uninjured but their cars were damaged in a collision on Donner Bridge Friday at 7 p.m. Mrs. Seine was cited by Patrolman Roy Stallard for not having her car under control and driving too fast for the road conditions.

Sunrise Services To Be Held On Squaw Peak

Rev. Wesley Osman, pastor of the Truckee Community Church, has announced he will conduct the traditional Easter sunrise services on Squaw Peak in Squaw Valley Sunday morning at 5:30.

Vocal selections and community singing will add to the services.

Needless to say the program will not be too time consuming as the weather at that elevation and at that early hour of the morning will be brisk, to say the least.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing thanks to our many friends for their help and we especially thank the staff of the Tahoe Forest Hospital for their interest and care during the illness of Mrs. Gini. It was sincerely appreciated.

G. GINI AND FAMILY

CARD OF THANKS

For the many kind words and acts of sympathy extended us during our recent tragic misfortune, we wish to express to our friends and neighbors our most sincere thanks.

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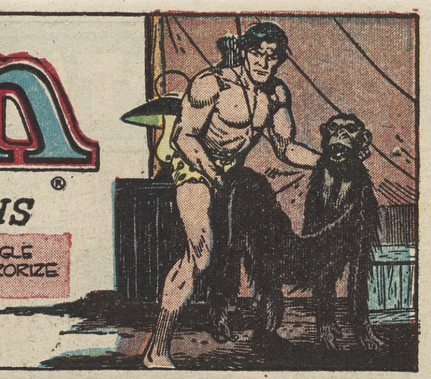
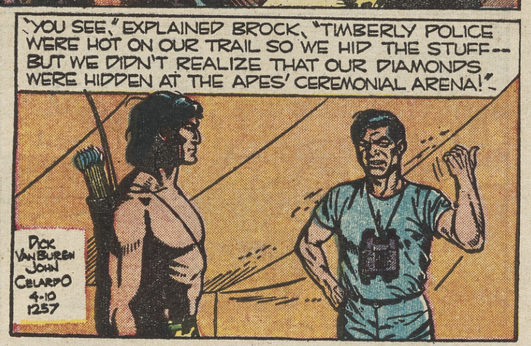


TARZAN HEARD A STEALTHY MOVEMENT, BUT TOO LATE! THE THIEVES, JIM KING AND BOB BROCK, ENTERED THE TENT WITH GUNS DRAWN. "SO," SNEERED KING, "YOU FOUND OUR COSTUME--"


"YOU SEE," EXPLAINED BROCK, "TIMBERLY POLICE WERE HOT ON OUR TRAIL SO WE HID THE STUFF-- BUT WE DIDN'T REALIZE THAT OUR DIAMONDS WERE HIDDEN AT THE APES' CEREMONIAL ARENA!"
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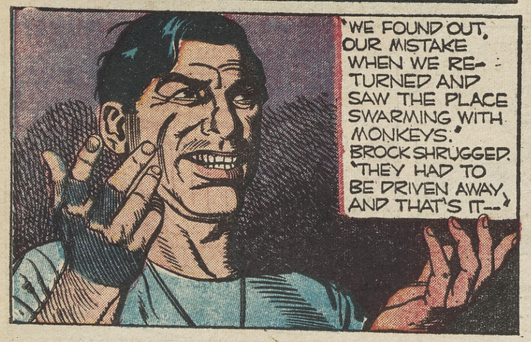
"WE FOUND OUT OUR MISTAKE WHEN WE RETURNED AND SAW THE PLACE SWARMING WITH MONKEYS." BROCK SHRUGGED. "THEY HAD TO BE DRIVEN AWAY, AND THAT'S IT--"

"EXCEPT FOR ONE SMALL DETAIL," SAID KING QUIETLY. "YOUR KNOWLEDGE NOW MAKES YOU A MENACE-- THEREFORE, YOU MUST DIE!"
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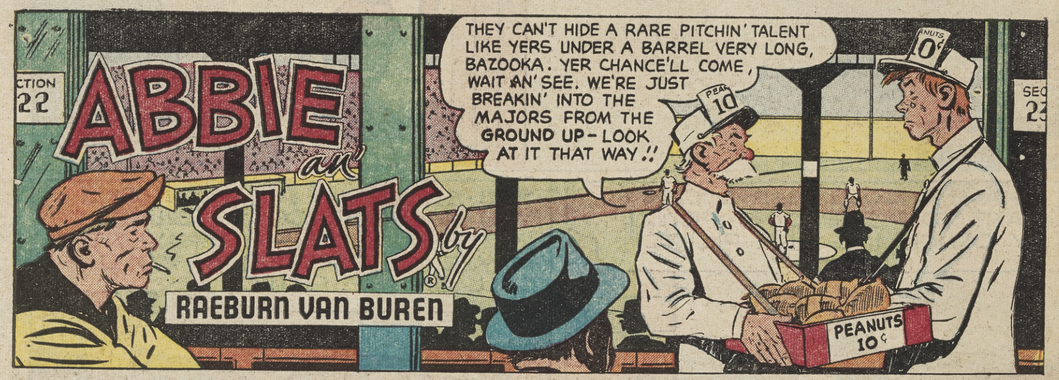
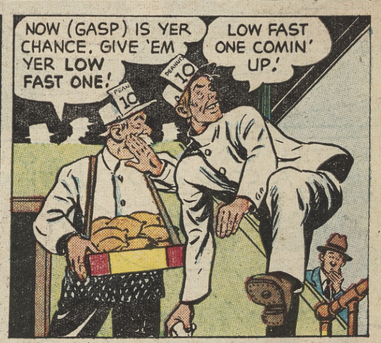

ABBIE an' SLATS by RAEBURN VAN BUREN
THEY CAN'T HIDE A RARE PITCHIN' TALENT LIKE YERS UNDER A BARREL VERY LONG, BAZOOKA. YER CHANCE'LL COME, WAIT AN' SEE. WE'RE JUST BREAKIN' INTO THE MAJORS FROM THE GROUND UP- LOOK AT IT THAT WAY!!
PEANUTS 10¢



THE REASON, DEAR READER, YOU HAVEN'T SEEN THE BALL IS SIMPLE. BUT DON'T LET IT ALARM YOU- NOBODY WITH NORMAL VISION (INCLUDING THE CATCHER) COULD POSSIBLY FOLLOW THE FLIGHT OF BAZOOKA BROWN'S FAST BALL!!
SOCK!
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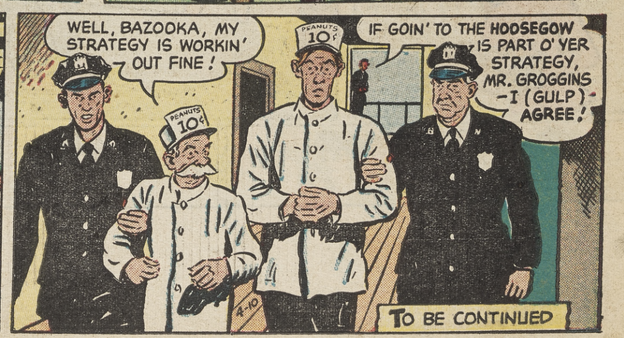
ON YOUR FEET, SLUGGER! THIS IS NO TIME TO TAKE A SIESTA!
I (CHOKE) CAN'T FIGGER OUT EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED! A TALL SKINNY KID SELLING PEANUTS WINDS UP- AND THEN I'M FLAT ON MY BACK!


WELL, BAZOOKA, MY STRATEGY IS WORKIN' OUT FINE!
IF GOIN' TO THE HOOSEGOW IS PART O' YER STRATEGY, MR. GROGGINS -I (GULP) AGREE!
PEANUTS 10¢
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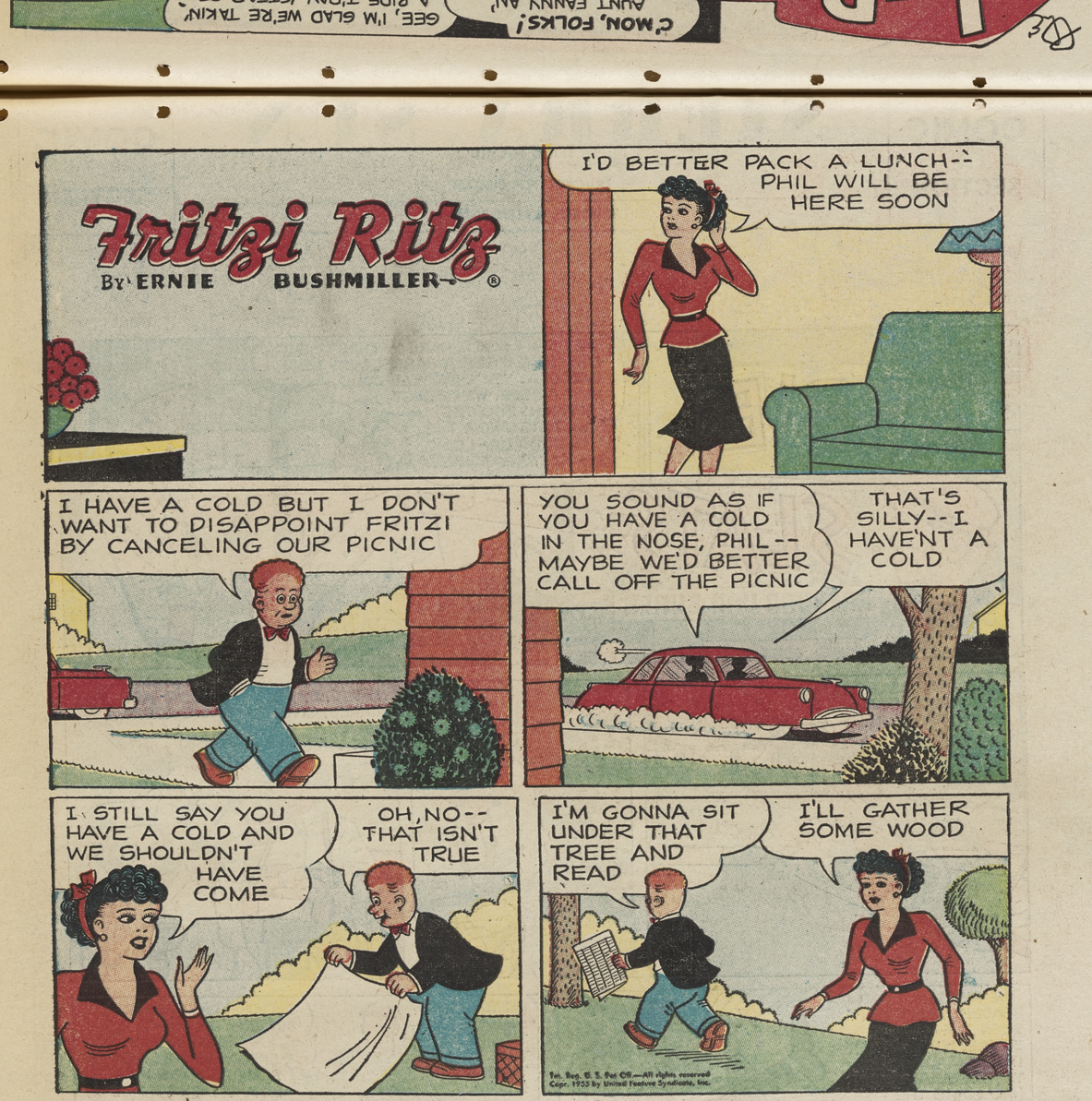
Fritzi Ritz
By ERNIE BUSHMILLER
I'D BETTER PACK A LUNCH-- PHIL WILL BE HERE SOON
I HAVE A COLD BUT I DON'T WANT TO DISAPPOINT FRITZI BY CANCELING OUR PICNIC
YOU SOUND AS IF YOU HAVE A COLD IN THE NOSE, PHIL-- MAYBE WE'D BETTER CALL OFF THE PICNIC
THAT'S SILLY-- I HAVEN'T A COLD
I STILL SAY YOU HAVE A COLD AND WE SHOULDN'T HAVE COME
OH, NO-- THAT ISN'T TRUE
I'M GONNA SIT UNDER THAT TREE AND READ
I'LL GATHER SOME WOOD
I KNEW YOU HAD A COLD IN THE NOSE, YOU BIG FIBBER!
APR-10
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THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS
MIT RUG-BEATING TO DO? DON'T BE SILLISH!
IS THE CAPTAIN ABOUT, MADAM? I HAVE IMPORTANT BUSINESS WITH HIM!
VE FIND HIM, MAMA!
SURE; TWO SHAKES!
REAL, LIFE PIRATE GOLD! OH, BOY!
BY R. DIRKS
HEY, CAP! A FELLER VANTS TO SEE YOU!
HE SAYS IT'S IMPORTANT!
SO ISS TREASURE HUNTING! BEAT IT, SHRIMPS!
CHART
AHA!
WHEE!
OH-OH!
GOLLY, VOT A NEAR SHAFE! ALMOST I FORGOT DER DATE!
NO VUNDER D'EY BURIED IT IN DER FOIST PLACE!
AHEM!
AHEM!
INCOME TAX
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Archie

by BOB MONTANA

READY TO GO TO THE "EASTER BUNNY HOP"?

OH HOW CUTE! I'M SURE YOU'LL WIN A PRIZE!

I'M GOING AS HIS EASTER EGG!

HALF CRACKED!

BUT, JUGHEAD! YOU CAN'T SIT DOWN IN THAT COSTUME!

NO, BUT CAN I EAT!

WELL, WE'RE OFF TO THE "EASTER BUNNY HOP", AND I MEAN OFF!

ARCHIE! WHY ARE YOU STOPPING?

(GULP!) I BROUGHT PLENTY OF CARROTS...BUT NOT ENOUGH GAS!

OH, ARCHIE! HOW COULD YOU BE SUCH A DUMB BUNNY!

I'LL CROSS THIS FIELD AND BORROW SOME GAS FROM THAT FARMHOUSE!

MMM, SAY! THESE RADISHES ARE GOOD!

GREAT DAY! THAT MUST BE THE GRANDDADDY! HAND ME MY SHOTGUN, QUICK!!

NOW, PAW! YOUR EYES AIN'T WHAT THEY USED TO BE!

KA POW!

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DID YOU GET THE GAS?

LOOKS LIKE HE GOT JETTISONED!

BUT, ARCHIE, YOU CAN'T SIT DOWN IN THAT COSTUME!

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The NEBBS and the Toodles

by the BAERS

C'MON, FOLKS! AUNT FANNY AN' UNCLE RUDY NEBB ARE HERE—!

GEE, I'M GLAD WE'RE TAKIN' A RIDE T'DAY, 'STEAD OF WALKIN' IN THAT SILLY EASTER P'RADE!

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WHERE WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO, PENNY AND PAT?

—TO UNCLE JOE'S FARM!

GOOD! THIS IS A PERFECT DAY FOR IT!

HEY, PAT— PSST—!

...SHOULD WE TELL THE FOLKS OUR IDEA—?

—NAW— THEY MIGHT NOT UNNERSTAN'—

WELL, WELL! WHAT A FINE SURPRISE!

WHERE DID THE TWINS GO?

THEY'RE OVER THERE— WITH THE CHICKENS—.

HEY! WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO?

WE BROUGHT OUR *PAINTS* TO FEED TO THE CHICKENS SO THEY WILL LAY US SOME PURTY *EASTER EGGS*—!

STRANGE as it seems

ELSIE the HIX

EASTER EGGS WERE FIRST COLORED GAY HUES BY EARLY NORSEMEN TO SIMULATE THE AURORA BOREALIS AND COLORS OF THE EASTER SUNRISE! THEY CALLED EASTER "OSTARA"-- THE FESTIVAL OF SPRING ...

A TOMATO SHAPED LIKE A DOUGHNUT-- GROWN BY DONALD MESS, Cheektowaga, N.Y..

A FISH THAT GOES FISHING WITH POLE, LINE AND BAIT-- A SMALL FLESHY APPENDAGE THAT LOOKS LIKE A FAT WORM!

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A HERD OF GOATS IN YEMEN IS CREDITED WITH THE DISCOVERY OF COFFEE... THE ANIMALS WERE MOVED TO A NEW PASTURE AND STAYED AWAKE NIGHT AFTER NIGHT... IT WAS FOUND THEY WERE EATING THE BERRIES OF A CERTAIN BUSH... EXPERIMENTS FOLLOWED, THE RESULT--COFFEE!

BANNER CLOUDS REMAIN STATIONARY FOR AS LONG AS 12 DAYS!

IN THE BLACK FOREST VILLAGES IN GERMANY-- WEDDINGS SELDOM TAKE PLACE ON SATURDAY AND NEVER ON A FRIDAY OR A WEDNESDAY...

THE STARS SET APPROXIMATELY 3 MINUTES, 56 SECONDS EARLIER EACH NIGHT...

CURLY KAYOE

by SAM LEFF-

WHAT HAS HAPPENED, MR. BINGLING, SIR?

THIS FELLA SAVED THE CIRCUS PAYROLL, BUTTONS!

GALOON'S TH' NAME- MR. PINGLING. LOOPY GALOON!

LOOPY JUST DISARMED THIS YEGG SINGLE-HANDED!

YOU DESERVE A REWARD FOR SAVING THE PAYROLL, LOOPY! WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU?

WAL- I WUZ WANTIN' T'SEE YOU ABOUT A JOB, MISTER SINGLING!

BINGLING'S THE NAME, LOOPY- AND YOU'VE EARNED A LIFETIME JOB WITH MY CIRCUS...

OH, BUTTONS- SHOW LOOPY GALOON THE ROPES!

FOLLOW ME, LOOPY!

YOUR JOB ARE TO HELP THESE MEN WITH THE TENTS, LOOPY!

GOLLY-SMOKES! I'M GONNA INJOY THIS TREMENJOUS-LIKE, BUTTON!

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WHEN DO I START MY NEW CAREER?

RIGHT NOW, LOOPY- JUST PULL THAT ROPE VERY TIGHT...

NO, LOOPY! THE OTHER ONE! OHH- NO!!

HELP!

LEMME OUTTA HERE!

IT'S TH' END OF TH' WORLD!

GADZOOKUS!

SAM LEFF-

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